

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN CHAMBERS (X) IN OPEN COURT ()

SPECIAL MASTER GEORGE A. SCHADE, JR.
Presiding

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE
GILA RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE

DATE: December 2, 2013

CIVIL NO. W1-11-1174

ORDER REQUESTING A STATUS
REPORT ON SETTLEMENT

CONTESTED CASE NAME: *In re PWR Claims 107.*

HSR INVOLVED: San Pedro River Watershed Hydrographic Survey Report.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The Special Master requests a status report from the United States and the San Carlos Apache Tribe on their efforts to reach a settlement agreement.

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On September 18, 2013, the San Carlos Apache Tribe (“Tribe”) reported that the United States was considering a settlement offer made by the Tribe. The Tribe requested an additional thirty days to work toward settlement. On November 12, 2013, the Special Master inquired by email to these parties about the negotiations’ progress. No answer has been received. No motion has been filed to stay this contested case, suspend pending timelines, or transfer this case to the Court.

The Special Master will request that the United States and the Tribe file a status report on or before January 17, 2014, concerning their efforts to reach a mutual resolution. The Special Master will enter new deadlines for the technical report of the

Arizona Department of Water Resources and objections thereto, but none of the other terms of the June 20, 2013, order are modified.

IT IS ORDERED that on or before **Friday, January 17, 2014**, the United States and the Tribe shall report if a settlement agreement has been executed and when will it be filed with the Special Master or if one will not be executed.

DATED: December 2, 2013.

/s/ George A. Schade, Jr.
GEORGE A. SCHADE, JR.
Special Master

On December 2, 2013, the original of the foregoing was delivered to the Clerk of the Maricopa County Superior Court for filing and distributing a copy to all persons listed on the Court approved mailing list for Contested Case No. W1-11-1174 dated July 1, 2013.

/s/ George A. Schade, Jr.
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